COMMON ALCOHOL VIOLATIONS Inspector's Checklist March 2010

Indoor Premises
☐ Notice posting. MCO 360.110
☐ Prohibition on selling to/serving alcohol to a person under 21 or obviously intoxicated.
☐ Maximum criminal penalties for driving under the influence and vehicular homicide while
under the influence
☐ Drinking during pregnancy can cause alcohol-related birth defects.
☐ Off-site storage. 340A.412 Subd. 12; 7515.0630; MCO 360.10
☐ Seating Requirements
☐ 25 seat minimum required for Class D and E – Wine. MCO 363.10
☐ 50 seat minimum for any On-Sale Liquor License. MCO 360.10
☐ 50 seat minimum for Class A, B, C – Wine. MCO 363.10
☐ Compact and contiguous. MCO 360.15(3)
☐ Lease out part of the license premises to another business. MCO 360.15(2)
Exclusive operator. MCO 360.15(1)
☐ Trade name or logo to suggest single ownership. MCO 360.15(1)
Expansion of premises without approval.
☐ Liquor – MCO 362.20 ☐ Wine – MCO 363.35
☐ 70/30 and 60/40 Establishments
☐ No alcohol advertisements. MCO 360.125 (1)-70/30
☐ Must be a restaurant. MCO 360.125 Definition of restaurant: MCO 360.10 and MCO
362.395 Liquor; MCO 363.42 Wine; and Charter
☐ No bar area. MCO 360.125 (1) (c)-Liquor 70/30 Liquor-60/40. MCO 362.395(2)
Outdoor Premises
☐ No bar service outside B4 district. MCO 360.100(c)
☐ Food service required during all hours of operation. MCO 360.100(d)
☐ No glass after 9:00 p.m. in B4 district. MCO 360.100(c)
Behavior on the Premises
☐ Gambling by the liquor establishment. MN 340A.410(5)
Over service/Intoxicated persons on the premises. MN 340A.502, MCO 360.60 and 364.30
☐ Licensee responsible for conduct of employees in the licensed premises. MN 340A.501 and MCO
259.250(3)

Sale of Alcohol to a minor (under 21). MN 340A.503 subd. 2, MCO 370.10
Operating beyond the level of entertainment licensed.
☐ MCO 363.40(b)-Class A Wine LR242
☐ MCO 363.40(c)-Class B Wine LR243
☐ MCO 363.40(d)-Class C-1 Wine LR244
☐ MCO 363.40(d)-Class C-2 Wine LR245
☐ MCO 363.40(e)-Class D Wine LR246
☐ MCO 362.30(b)-Class A Liquor LR177
☐ MCO 362.30(c)-Class B Liquor LR179
☐ MCO 362.30(d)-Class C-1 Liquor LR232
☐ MCO 362.30(d)-ClassC-2 Liquor LR245
☐ MCO 362.30(e)-Class D Liquor LR246
Operating outside of the approved business plan. MCO 362.120(z) Liquor only
☐ Hours of operation for the licensed premises
☐ Menu
☐ Alcohol server awareness program
Type of entertainment offered
☐ Security plan
Allow alcohol to be removed off the premises. MCO 360.10, 360.15
☐ No alcohol service/sale after 1 a.m. Minn Stat. 340A.504 subd. 7,MCO 364.80(1)
☐ No alcohol service/sale after 2 a.m. with a state permit. MCO 364.80(3)
☐ Sunday sales without a license after 1a.m. MCO 364.80(2)
Open between the hours of 2:30 a.m. and 5:00 a.m. without a special license. MCO 364.100
☐ No consumption between 2:30 a.m. and 8:00 a.m. MCO 364.85(b)
☐ No consumption between 1:30 a.m. and 8:00 a.m.(no state permit) MCO 364.85(a)
☐ Entertainment to stop at 2 a.m. MCO 360.70(f)
☐ Buying from a retailer. MN 7515.0520 and MCO 259.250(2)
□ No approved manager/owner within 75 miles of premises.
☐ Wine- MCO 363.320(c) ☐ Liquor-MCO 362.320(c)
Unknown manager.
☐ Wine MCO 363.120(o) ☐ Liquor – MCO 362.120(o)
Refusing an inspection. MCO 160.70
☐ Premises open to inspection if open to the public. MCO 362.490